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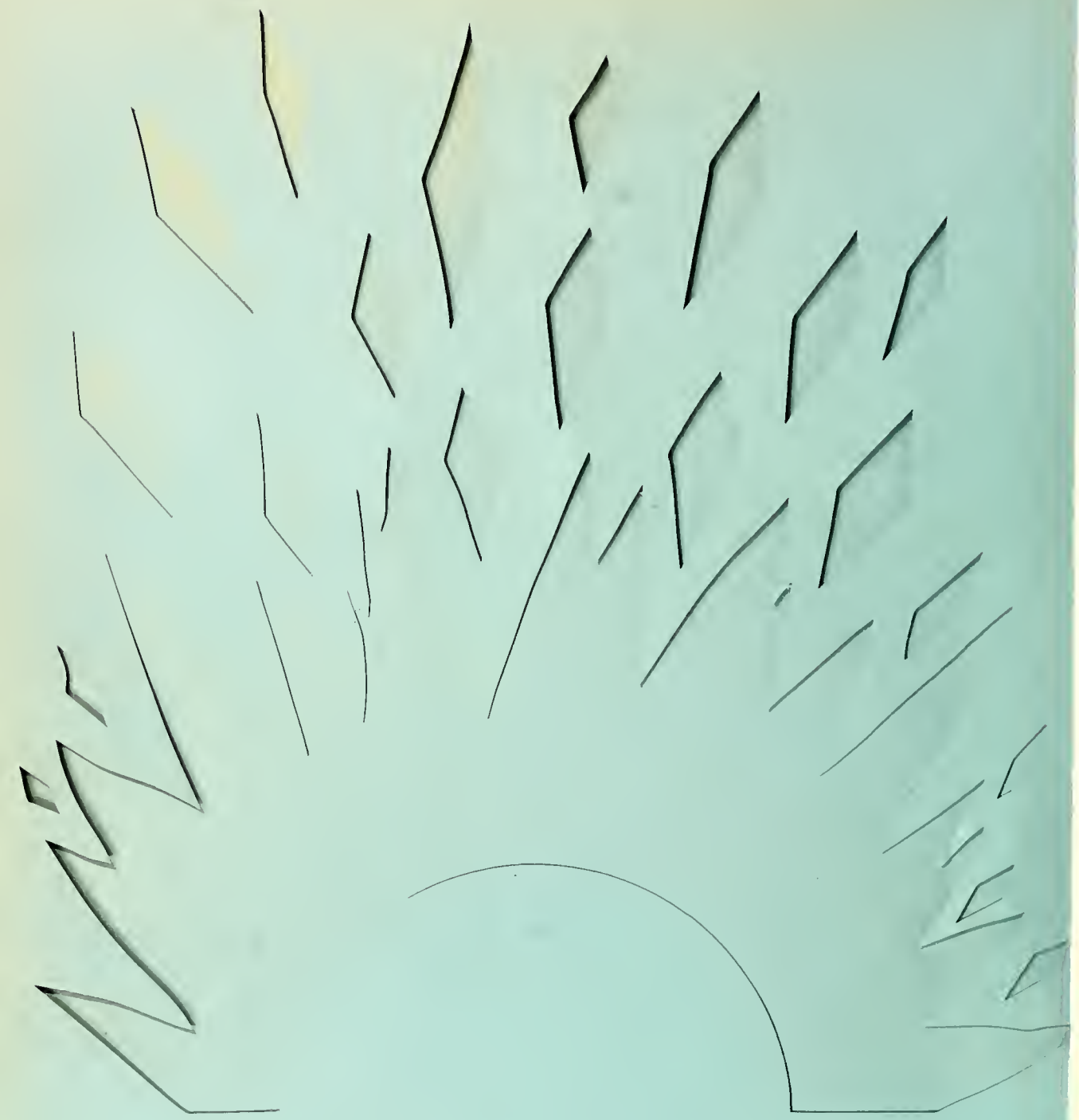

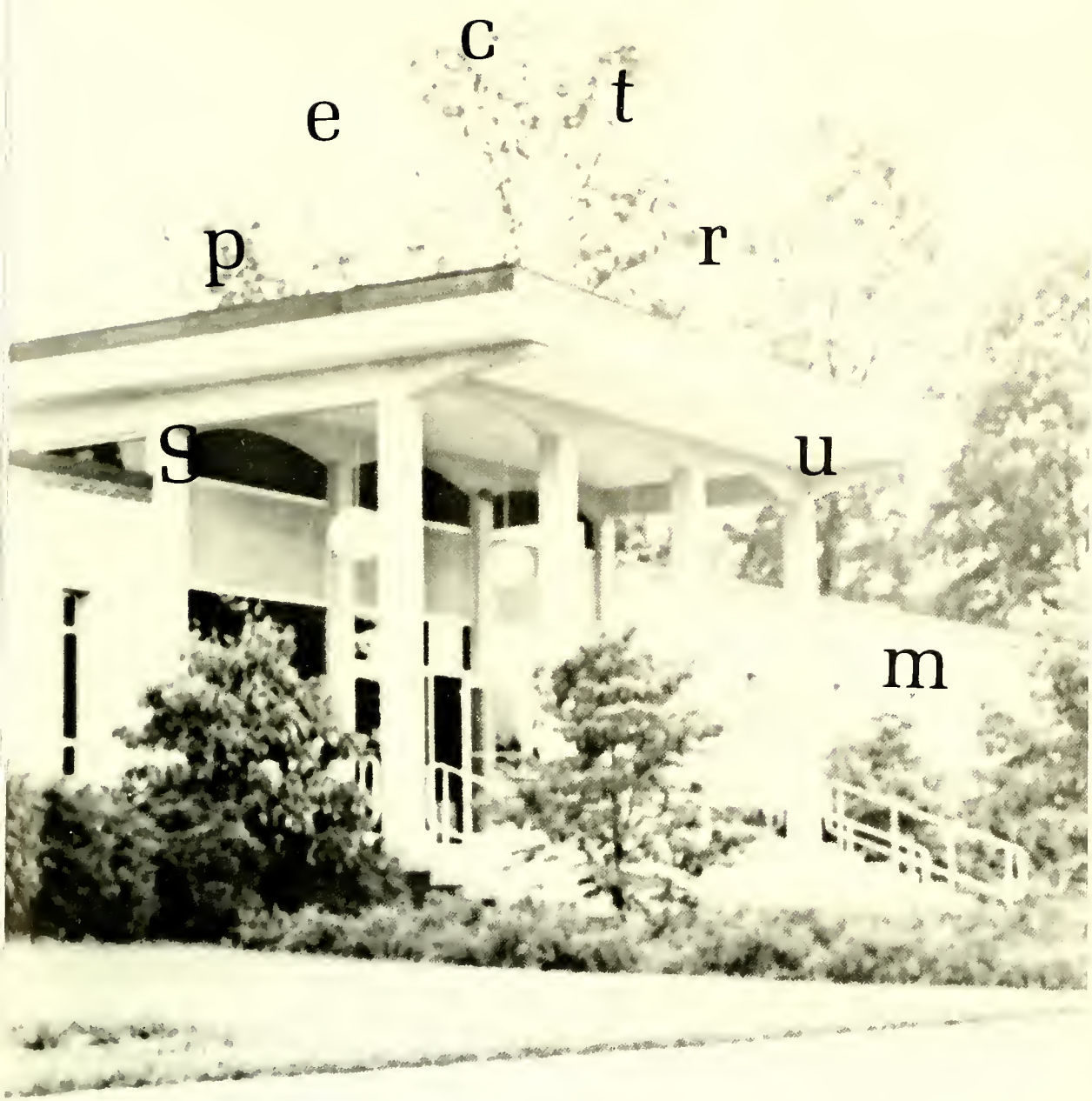
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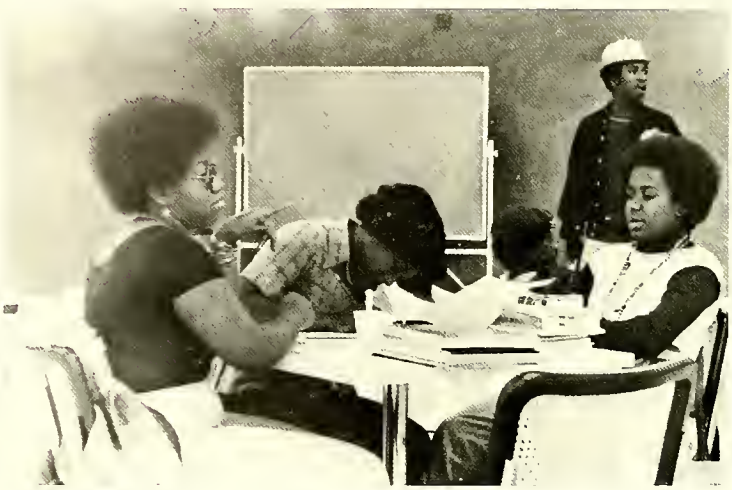

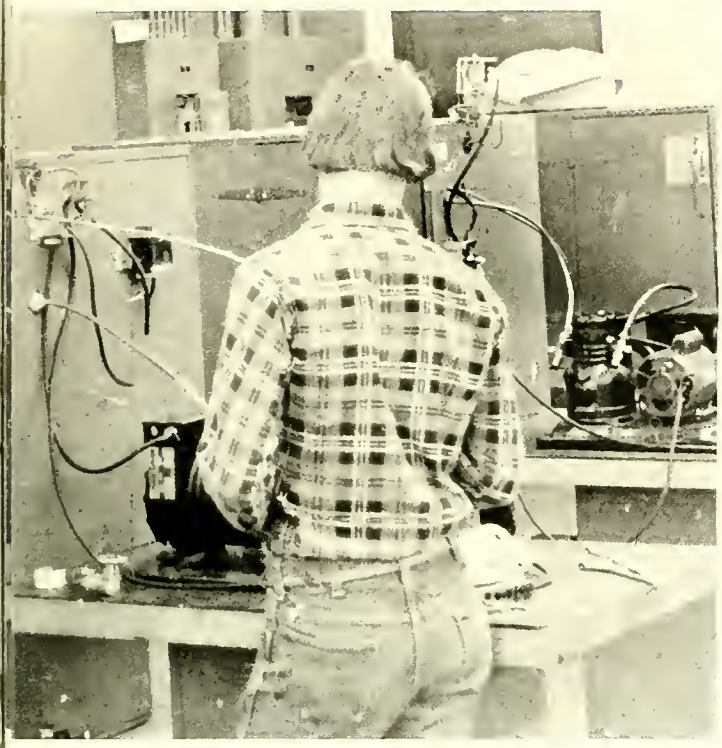

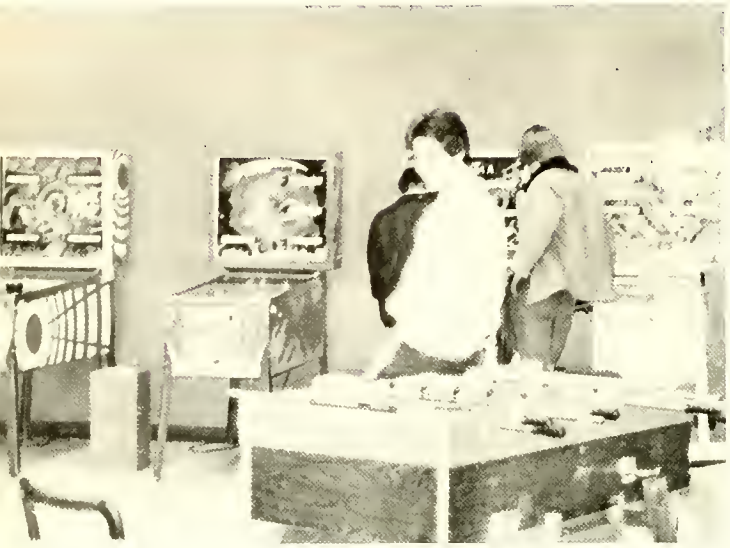

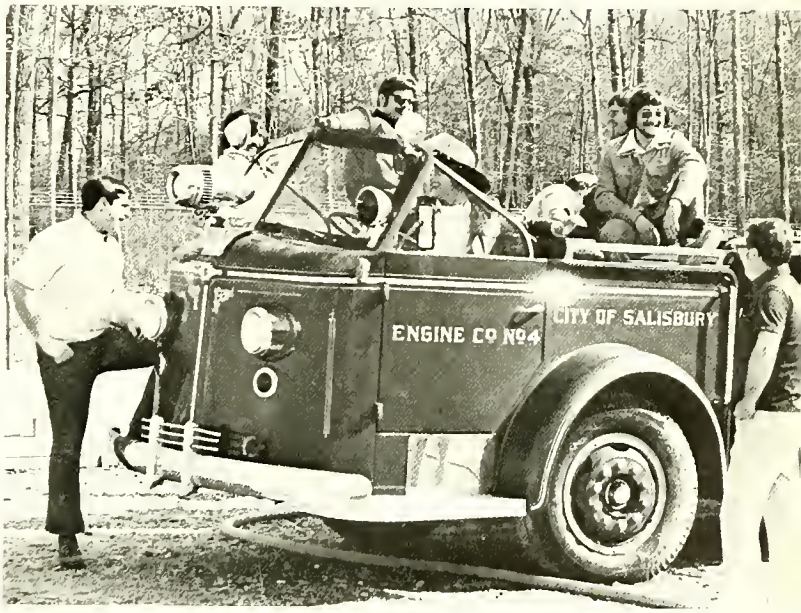
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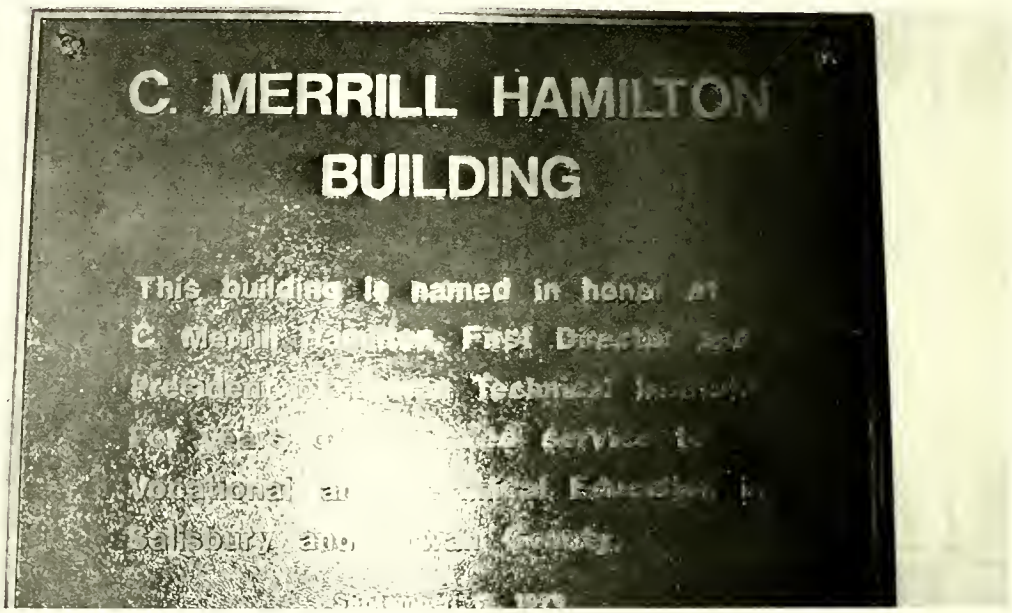
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BUILDING
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Debbie Sloop, Faculty Secretary

Business Office

Ronald Bostian, Business Manager

Gail Cavin, Secretary

Nancy Lyerly, Bookkeeper (above); Karen McBride, Accounts Payable Clerk (right).

Reginald Boland, Counselor

Shelia Fortson, Cashier

Roxie Lomas, Duplicating

Rhonda Jones, Bookstore Manager

Student Personnel Services

ss Office

Grady Lloyd, Dean of Students

Gail Cavin, Secretary

Rachel Thomason, Records Specialist

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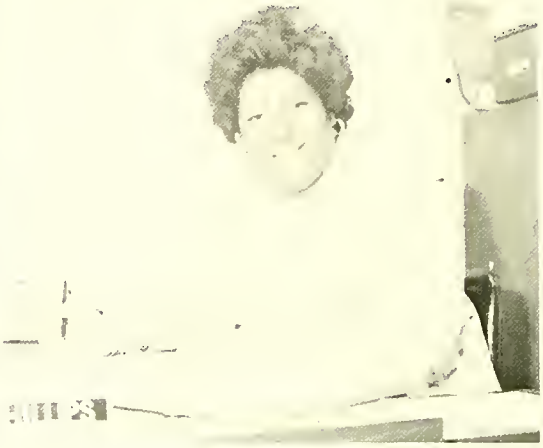

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Jim Edwards, Coordinator of Concord Office

David Butler, Coordinator of Occupational Extension

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Judy Voncanon, Secretary

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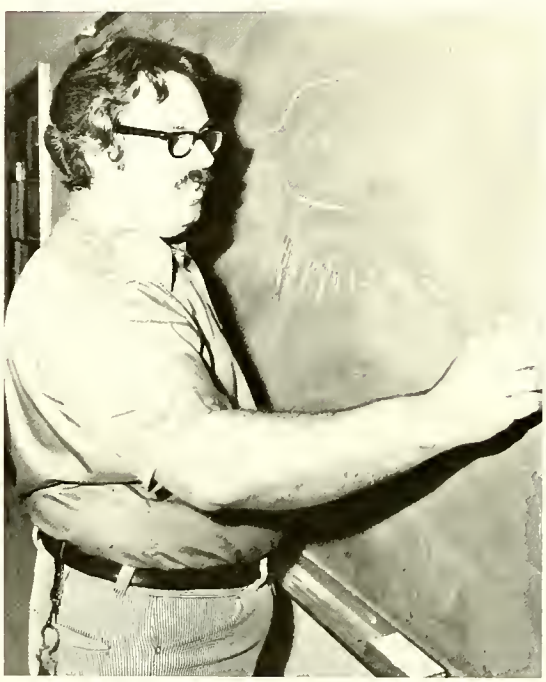
Mrs. Ruth Ball, Instructor, Associate Degree Nursing–not pictured



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John Burns, Program Head, Manufacturing Technology

Vernon Clodfelter, Program Head, Electronic Data Processing

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Mrs. Phyllis Daugherty, Instructor, Associate's Degree Nursing

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Vernon Eanes, Program Head, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration

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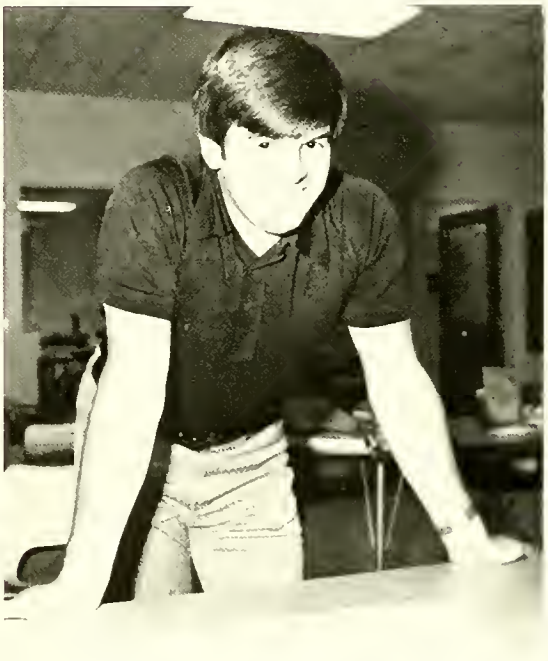

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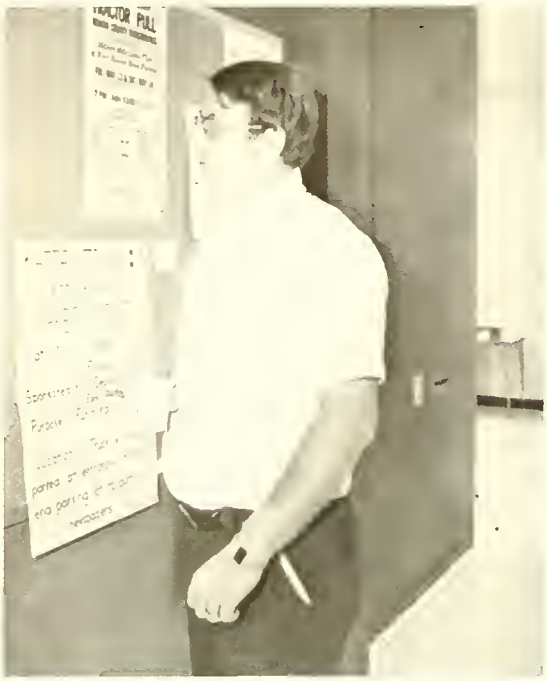

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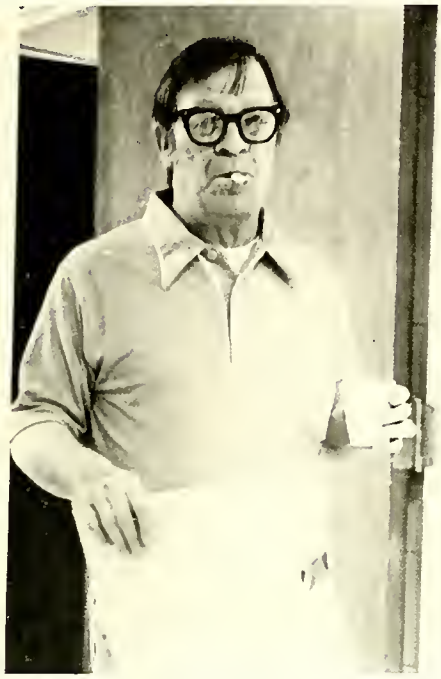

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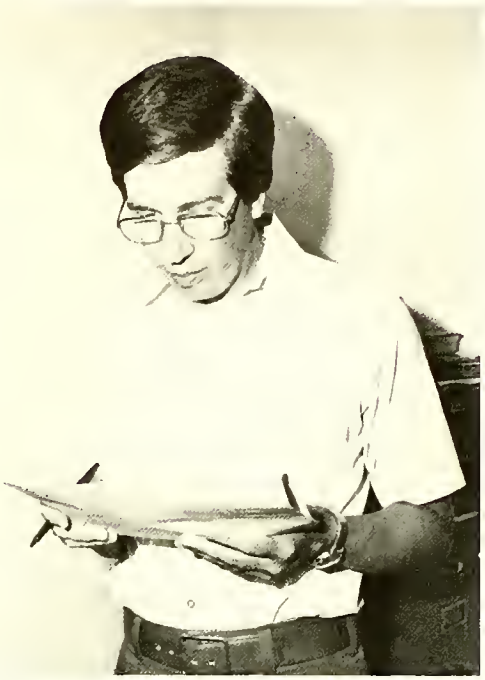
Mrs. Barbara White, Instructor, Associate Degree Nursing



Jerry Wilkes, English Instructor

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Dedication

Left: Mr. Thomas trying to hide from our photographer. Bottom: Mr. Thomas and Dan shooting the breeze.

Mr. J.C. Thomas
A ton of love, a million smiles,
A lot of friendship, and a mile wide smile.
He is our friend, our ally,
And sometimes our cohort.
We dedicate this annual to him
With much love and appreciation.

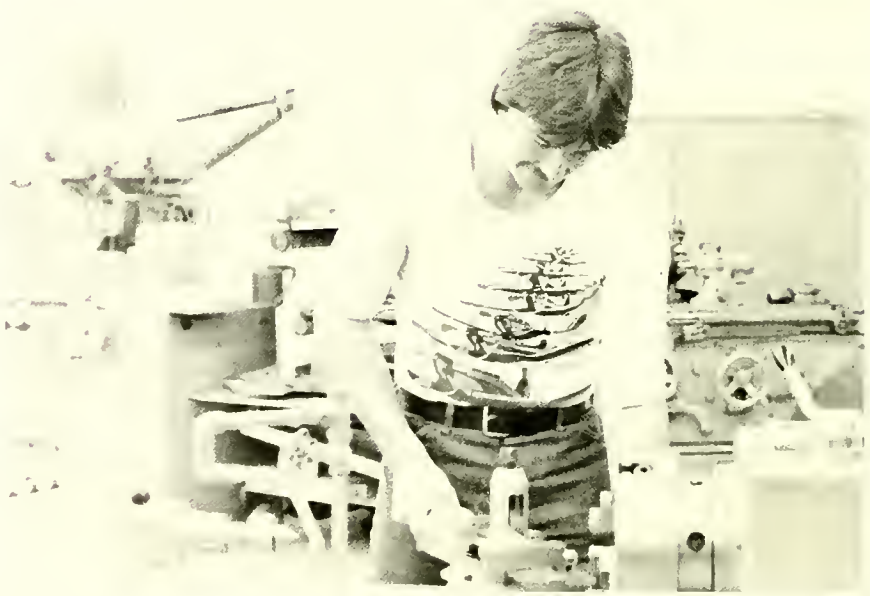
Chief

Air Condition & Refrigeration

Harold Boettcher
Robert Garrison
Charlds P. Trexler, Jr.

Automotive Mechanics

Melvin Bost
Chris Eagle
Claude Honeycutt
A.W. Sloop



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Dental Assistant

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Dorothy Bowe
Sherry James
Susan Jarvis
Terri Lowman
Andrea Morrison

Kathy Morrow
Cindy Readling
Kim Reavis
Donna Trivette

Electrical Installation & Maintenance

Rodney Abner
Mark Argo
Robert Bailey
Glenn Barnhardt

Kenny Beeker
James Douglas
Joe Dunn
Keith Kluttz

John Mason
Fred Meisimer
Reginald Lee
Duane Smith
Mike Yost

Machinist Trade Program

Ray Ashley
Robert Brooker
Garfield Byers
David Gardner
Christopher Hall

Jack Hodge, Jr.
Jeffrey Julian
Rick Morris
Price Lefler
Dale Plummer

Tommie Roberts
James Russell
Lee Shore
Michael Spry

Price is right!

Practical Nurse Education

Barbara Baldwin
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Diane Bane
Lucille Burris
Susan Cagle
Elsie Campbell

Francis Canupp
Carolyn Combs
Cathy Corriher
Virginia Corriher
Kim Creason
Priscilla Earnhardt

Dawn Emory
Sheila Foster
Karen Garrett
Dottie Griggs
Sherry Hillard
Kathleen Hines

Wanda Honbarger
Cathy Lyerly
Myra Lyerly
Ruhy Mercer
Jann Owen
Kathleen Ridenhour

Kay Russell
Nancy Simmons
Frances Simone
Beverly Snyder
Sherrie Trexler
Linda Utley

Barbara Whitener
Margaret Wood
Kay Wyatt

Welding Trade

James Hallman
Willie Heilig
David Nicholson

Today is made for tomorrows, as yesterdays were made for today. As our trade students graduate, we hope their yesterdays are filled with happy memories and that their tomorrows are hopeful visions. You'll leave behind many friends, only to make new ones. Good luck from Rowan Tech in your pursuit of life.

Technical Education

Associate Degree Nursing

Glenda Amos
Connie Antosek
Jeannie Arey
Judy Arthurs
Robin Atwell
Pam Barr

Bobbie Beeker
Judy Bassinger
Barbara Barringer
Nora Boyce
Karen Burroughs
Maxine Carter

Rebecca Chandler
Pat Childers
Sharon Clontz
Linda Crawley
Jewel Danaher
Joyce Deal

Sheila Deese
Ann Devendorf
Diane Evans
Janie Graham
Myrtle Herman
Denise Hooper

Judy Howard
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Janet Isenhour
Janice Kelly
Debbie Lineberry
John Lorginoth

Beverly Lunderman
Dayle Luther
Martha McCain
Kathy McLain
Debbie McManus
Debbie Miller

ADN cont.

Shirley Tilley
Sherry Myers
Doris Morgan
Barbara Nail
Gail Nesbit
Rhonda Ogle

Martha Pierce
Sheila Price
Debbie Pinion
Sheila Presnell
Kay Price
Becky Pullin

Ann Shores
Wanda Sides
Carolyn Sipes
Lynne Sloop
Martha Sloop
Susan Sloop

Barbara Smith
Debbie Smith
Ada Susong
Margaret Ridenhour
Susie Rothlisburger
Juanita Walker

Dianne Wallace
Cindy Wilson
Valerie Wright
Jill Yates

Business Administration

Worth Barbee
Betty Sue Barringer
Robin Blanton
Kenneth Bridges
Becky Brooks
Rena Burris

Larry Gipple
Gail Hawthorne
Murray Jolly
Ned Long
Jesse Luther
Harriet McCoy

Becky McDonald
Birder McGarity
Barbara Mallett
Jay Montgomery
Betty Perry
Sharon Pinion

Karen Poole
Dwayne Ridenhour
Kelly Sercy
Gloria Walker
Larry Warren
Georgia Watkins

Charley Whaley
Daniel Kirks

Criminal Justice

John Lawson
R. Wayne Miller
Cheryl McNeil
William Myers
Bill Washington

Drafting and Design Technology

Randy Abshere
Bobby Balfrey
Woody Barringer
Judy Bolick
Ronnie Cauble
Mike Charles

Mike Corriher
Cindy Crooks
Barbara Gallimore
Phillip Haigler
Tracey Hinson
David Lyerly

Eric Michael
Fred Mills
Augustus John Odoom
Lyndell Pate
Tim Untz
Janet Zinlinski

Moving right along

Early Childhood Specialists

Eunice Blackburn
Robin Brooks
Wanda Brown
Brenda Cowans
Althea Cranfield
Susan Cress

Cathy Crossett
Jan File
Pamela Harrison
Susan Hoffner
Sheila Honeycutt
Regis Keener

Martha Overcash
Mary Phelps
Gary Posey
Devora Roberts
Rebecca Sherrill
Carolyn Shrader

Joyce Small
Sandra Steele
Dorothy Teat
Ann White

Electronics also Electrical Engineering Technology

David Chance
Michele Chance
Robert Earnhardt
Ron Hatley
Laird Freeze
Thomason Frank

Elec. also Elect. Eng. Tech. cont'd.

Donald Heglar
Greg Hipp
Mike Hooks
Rick W. Morgan
George Pratt
Eddie Rogers

Kelly Shores
Susan Sides
James C. Simmons
Tom Washam
Nathaniel Woods
Randy Wooten

Electronic Data Processing

Dan Auten
Toni Beaver
Vicki Crutchfield
Alice Devendorf
Howard Greer
Charmaine Grant

Randy Goodman
Lee Head
Karen Henderson
Todd Jones
Walter Lattimore
Henry Lowder

Laura Michaels
Jeffrey Morgan
Tena Mullis
Charles Nance
Hulene Parks
Cathy Steelman

EDP cont'd.

Pam Tucker
Karen Wagner

Executive Secretarial Science

Cindi Beaver
Debbie Gullet
Shirley Jordan
Judy Nichols
Judy Spencer
Andrea Parker

Debra Taylor
Debbie Watkins
Jackie Watson
Teresa Williams
Pat Youmans

Fire-Protection Society

Fred Franklin
Al Putnam
Chander Sethi
Jeffrey Washinger

Fire Science Technology

Jeff Baker
Steve Brame
Garry Brown
Keith Brown
Charlie Corn
Keith Dunlap

Barry Hailey
Randy Hess
Jamie Livengood
Greg McCarraher
Terry Moseley
Robert Robinson

Mark Stewart
Cloyd Strickland
Joe Story
Steve Williams
Dale Wooten
Ronnie Yon

Otis Ziglar
Joe Zimmerman

Industrial Management

John Baggett
Jack Bailey
Donald Berry
Dennis Black
Claude Bruce
Tom Lovette

Industrial Safety & Health

Mike Fulk
Kim Graham
Charles Knox
Rossell Laws
Lawless McClellan

Kathleen McKinney
Richard Walker
Richard Walker
Lee White

Manufacturing Engineering

Gerald Jennings
Tim Smith

Marketing and Retailing

Debbie Bowers
Jerry Bunn
John Campbell
Sharon Diggs
Angelique Hester
Linda Hunter

Marsha Jones
Ed Lunderman
Marshall Neely
List O'brien
Chris Sharpe
Doug Shaw

Mkt. & Rtlg. cont'd.

Robert Swartt
Seleta Spry

Medical Secretarial Science

Debbie Beaver
Lillie Barnhardt
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Suzie Booth
Leigh Ann Cartner
Donna Dobson

Kim Freeze
Gwendolyn Fisher
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Cathy Griffin
Debbie Hatley
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Rita Mills
Carol Morton
Tina Newton
Debbie Rowland

Janet Ryan
Cindy Shirley
June Trexler
Sandra White
Martha Wagner
Kris Walton

Radiologic Technology

Teresa Allen
Maria Hildebrand
Cindy Hinson
Tamara Jones
Priscilla Lippard

Deborah Miller
LuAnn Steelman
Diane Stokes
Denise Watson

Miss Merry Christmas

On Nov. 20, Miss Lillie Barnhardt was crowned Christmas Queen by SGA president Tom Washam. Lillie was elected by the student body. She ran against eleven other girls.

Mr. And Miss Personality

On February 12, Tom Washam and Alice Devendorf were elected Mr. and Miss Personality by the student body. They were elected for the school year 1976-77.

Many Faces At

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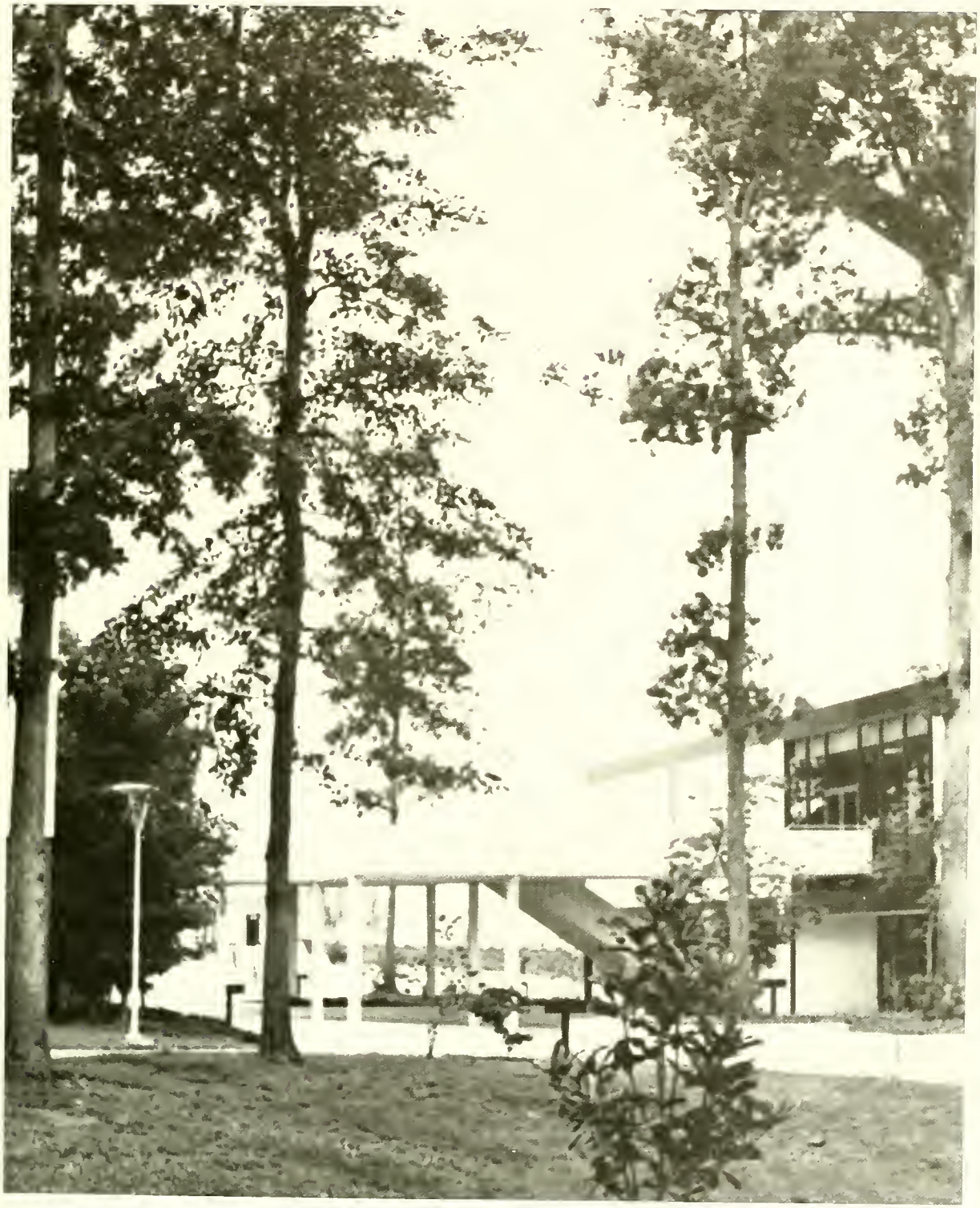
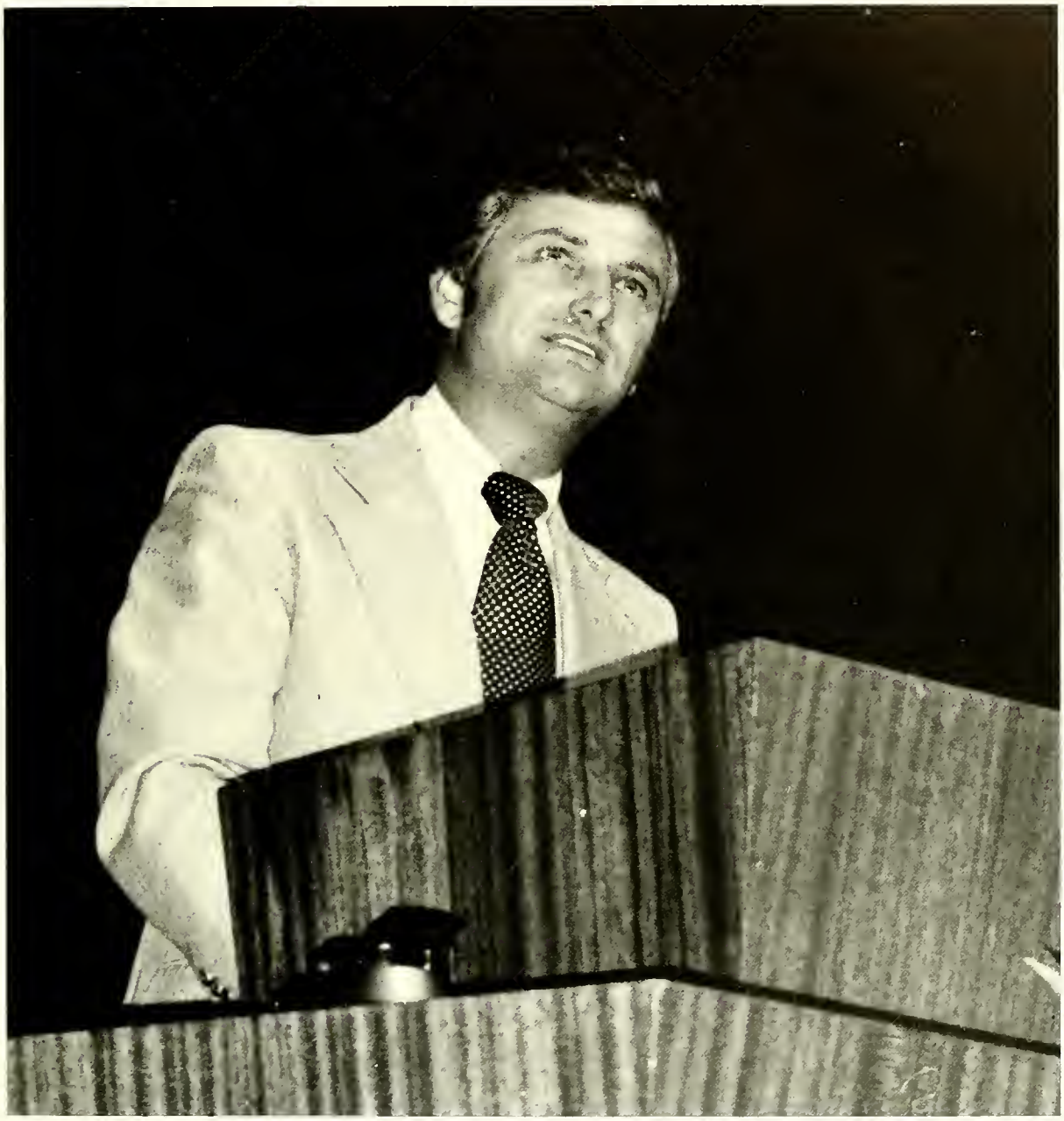
Opens Doors



Graduation
1977

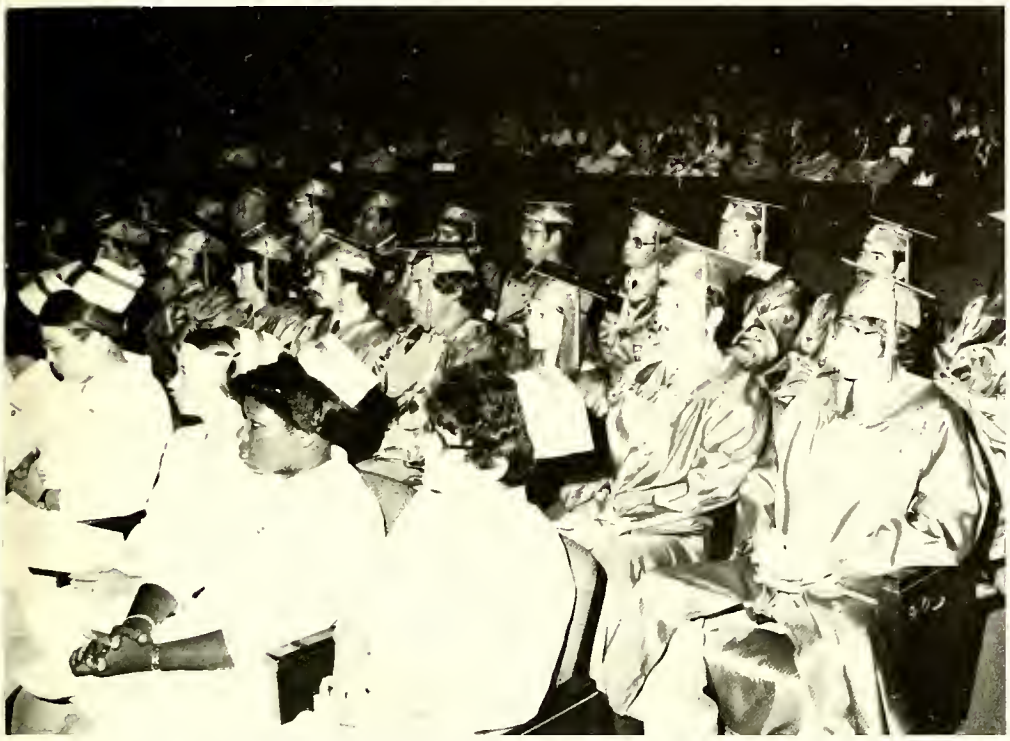
On Thursday, September 22, graduation exercises for the class of 1977 were held at the Keppel Auditorium in Salisbury. Almost three hundred students received diplomas or Associate Degrees in trade and technical programs. A reception was held in the Crystal Lounge immediately following the exercises. Below: Dr. Richard L. Brownell, RTI's new president, welcomes guests.



Dr. Thomas E. Corts, President, Wingate College, speaks to the graduating class.

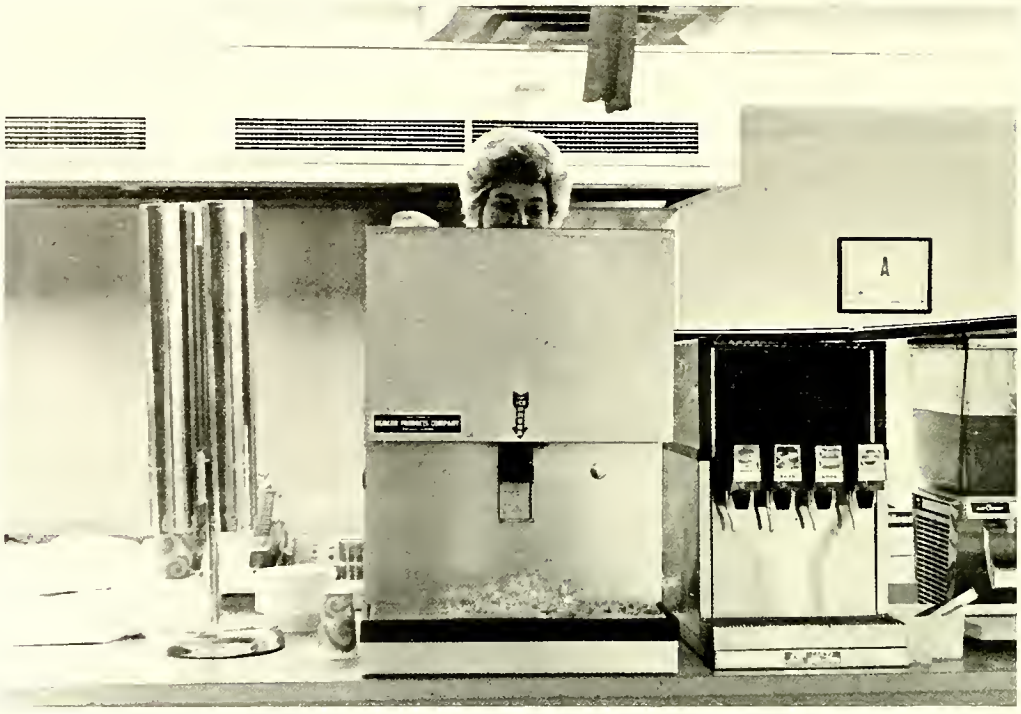
Students line up to walk across the stage and receive their degrees.

Debbie Watkins receives the Outstanding Student Award for the Executive Secretarial Science curriculum. Dr. Brownell presented the award.



Graduating students nervously await their time to walk across the stage.

A happy smile ends the year's hard work in Practical Nurse Education.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Dedication Of Buildings

500 and 600.

On September 12, 1977, the Board of Directors dedicated two buildings to Rowan Tech. We are very proud of these buildings. They house the new Student Center, Game Room, Student Services, the Health Occupations classrooms, the Day Care Center, labs and other assorted classrooms. The new Learning Resource Center is housed in the upper level of Building 500. The new buildings are a center of attraction on campus and are frequented by everyone.